



Ulysses S. Grant, First “4-Star” General of the Army of the United States July 24, 2016

On July 25, 1866, President Andrew Johnson promoted Lieutenant General Grant to a new rank; 4-star “General of the Army.” He was the first man ever promoted to such a position. This year marks the 150th anniversary of this event.

Join “Living Historian” Kenneth J. Serfass (as Ulysses S. Grant) for a discussion about Grant’s view of this historic moment.

Presentations will take place in the memorial’s visitor center at 11 am and again at 2 pm. Photos are welcomed.

The final resting place of Ulysses S. Grant and his wife Julia, is the largest mausoleum in North America. It testifies to a people’s gratitude for the man who ended the Civil War as Commanding General of the Union Army and then, as President of the United States, strove to heal the nation.



Plan Your Visit

The memorial is located at 122nd Street and Riverside Drive, in Manhattan. The Visitor Center is to the west of the memorial, along south-bound Riverside Drive.

General Grant National Memorial is open 9 am to 5 pm, Wednesday through Sunday.

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